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DECATUR, ILLINOIS, THURSDAY, AUGUST 19, 1880.

J. R. RACE & CO.  
Has the Largest and Cheapest stock of  
CLOTHING in Decatur.



And "DON'T YOU FORGET IT."  
PANTS MADE TO ORDER FOR \$5.00.  
Get a ticket to draw the \$50 Government Bond.  
J. R. RACE & CO.

Aug. 7, 1880—42-dwt

WARREN & DURFEE

ICE!

For Sale by Car Loads, Ton or otherwise.

FAMILIES FURNISHED  
AT  
REASONABLE PRICES

Orchard left at J. Miller's Clear Store, NO. 12  
WATER STREET, will receive prompt attention.

REAL ESTATE,  
INSURANCE,  
Abstracts of Title

FOR VALUABLE

CITY LOTS!

That offer a Good Investment if purchased  
AT PRESENT PRICES.

— Apply to —

Warren & Durfee.

Feb. 11, 1880—45-dwt

ICE! ICE!!

J. A. SMITH & CO.,  
ESTABLISHED 1851.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Ice,  
166 MONROE ST., CHICAGO, ILL.

Ice for sale, new or old, by car load or less,  
Cars run direct from ice houses or  
houses. Cars running out of Chicago.

July 23, 1880.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

THE partners heretofore existing between C. W. CHALLIS & G. A. CHALLIS  
this day dissolve by mutual consent, G. A. CHALLIS  
leaving the business to the firm of

Decatur, July 19, 1880—42-dwt. C. W. CHALLIS.

THE BETTIE STUART INSTITUTE.

A Day and FAMILY BOARDING SCHOOL  
for Young Ladies and Children. The course is  
comprehensive. The Languages, Music, Drawing,  
Painting, Elocution, etc., are thoroughly  
taught. Director, MRS. M. MCKEE  
Morgan Park, Decatur, Ill.

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CHICAGO

FEMALE COLLEGE

Morgan Park (near Chicago). Preparatory and  
College course. Graduating course in  
Music, Art & specialty. Students from  
most parts of the country. Address G. A.  
THAYER, President, Morgan Park, Ill., or at  
Morgan Park, Chicago.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce Dr. J. H. Amerson, of Marion, as a candidate for representative, the 11th senatorial district, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention.

## CITY DEPARTMENT.

ONEH enough—102 pieces American China, a full dinner set, for only \$18.00, at E. D. Bartholomew & Co.'s.

Turkish baths take well.

The Institute will wink out to-morrow.

The original sheet music is soaring.

A day for the Peoria excursionists.

Hear Beardslee sing at the First M. E. church to-night.

The best country produce in the market at Peter Ulrich's.

Another printing office in town. Will this never cease.

AL MONOGAR is the builder of those delicious cream lemonades, at Brennenman's.

AL is calm and serene on the "levee."

'Tis well.

TAX one of Will L. Ferguson's large train Fluid Stoves. They are the best in the city.

Don't forget the Beardslee concert to-night.

TAKE in a quartet worth of singing at the 1st M. E. Church to-night.

THINGS ought to be more than "ninety and nine" at the concert to-night.

THE solo singing to-night won't be so low after all, as the Prof. can sing so high also. But the price of admission is so low that all can indulge.

THOMAS will find John Osmers in his newly new quarters, corner of Water and Prairie streets. d2d

FOR good fresh bread—fresh every morning—call at Niedemeyer's on the Mound.

DAN BRENNEMAN and his famous stable, Geo. M. Patchen, make a handsome team upon our boulevard.

FOR 30 days we will sell Gold Papers at half value. ABER. & LOCKE.

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THE largest stock of cooking stoves in town at Ashby & Andreas'. 6 d&wif

Random your shoe bills by buying of Barber & Baker. d&wif

DECATUR Turners are still talking about the grand time they had at the Danville Turn-Fest.

THE Illinois State Y. M. C. A. will convene in annual convention at Peoria on August 26th. The newspapers there are talking up the matter in a lively manner.

FLAGS, fire-crackers, toys, pistols, &c., &c., at J. T. Hand & Co's.

21-dif

NOTE THIS—Linn & Scruggs say what they mean, in language that cannot be misunderstood—and do what they say Aug. 7, d&wif.

DR. MARSHALL'S Bromoline is the greatest Blood Purifier known, curing all skin diseases promptly and effectually. Try a bottle of it. Sold by Decatur drug-gists. 10-d&wif

Frank Caldwell has got home from Rico, Colorado, perfectly satisfied that Illinois is one of the finest states in the world. He thinks Colorado is a good place to go to, temporarily, but for steady living he prefers the garden spot of the world—Illinois. Frank has been quite ill, and though in a fair way to recover he still looks feeble and thin.

A SUBSCRIBER of the Jacksonville Journal proposes the following problems, and asks for a solution: "In a rick of wood four feet in height, containing five cords, the length is forty feet. Place the same amount of wood in a rick eight feet high, and the length is twenty feet. Should the wood be corded six feet in height will the length of the rick be thirty feet? If not please state the reason why."

AS A Liver Regulator, we know of no better remedy than Dr. Marshall's Bromoline. Call at the drug store and try a bottle of it. Sold by Decatur druggists. 14-d&wif

THE finest assortment of Carriages, Phaetons, top and open Buggies, and Spring Wagons, of all kinds, ever brought to this market, are now in store at the implement house of V. H. Park. They are, A. No. 1, and warranted. No shyster work—good honest goods, at a fair price. Persons wanting anything in this line are invited to call V. H. PARK, North of the Priest House.

July 18-22m

New sheet music and instructors' books, at J. T. Hand & Co's. 21-dif

Longfellow.

Gauge underwear, ladies' and men's, at 25c, 30c and 35 cents, respectively.

Aug. 10-d&wif

CHEAP STORE.

Sign of the big 18

Stamps' Chapel.

Rev. T. G. Kendrich will preach Sabbath evenings at 7 P. M. o'clock. Subject: "Early and Heavenly Voices contrasted." Evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Special theme for the masses. Prayer and praise meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. All are invited.

Cash Box the business.

We long for cash, buy cheap, sell on low margin, try to get the best made and most durable goods that we can find, try to please our customers, never make any misrepresentations knowingly, always willing to correct mistakes, want your trade. Come and see us; we are always glad to see old friends and make new ones.

BABER & BAKER.

21-dif

BRACKETS! brackets! brackets!! the only stock in the city, and every one of them new and fresh, at

21-dif

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## THE PEORIA EXCURSION.

Notwithstanding the sweltering heat, the dust, and the heat condition of Peoria in general, an unexpectedly large party gathered at the depot this morning to witness the departure of the Warrensburg M. E. church. No thoughts of the labor of mopping up perspiration or breaking off the dust of the prairies seemed sufficient to weaken the zeal of the scores and hundreds of brave men and women who trotted to the depot after an unseasonable and hasty breakfast; they needed not the caustic of the worldly-minded who prophesied discomforts and even tortures—they were filled only with the desire to assist a worthy object, and by their self-denial to help pay the cost of dispensing the gospel to the benighted Pollywoggers. It is impossible to account for the presence of so many people at such a time, and in such weather, upon any other hypothesis. Certainly they could not be bent on pleasure, since the suffering was bound to be so much in excess of the fun, nothing could have induced so many to brave the heat and dust except missionary zeal.

The management had not counted upon such an outpouring of people, and adequate preparations had not been made for such a crowd. Two coaches only had been provided, and these were filled to overflowing long before the advertised time of starting. And still the people continued to come, and every one seemed determined to make sure of a place in those two cars. They were packed to overflowing—the third of a seat came to be considered a mighty soft thing, while standing room was at a high premium.

Women perspired and scolded in an ocean of pure blam, babies cried in the excess of their joy, while men allowed their exquisite happiness to bubble over in words that were naughty but forcible. In the meantime the manager chewed his tobacco into finer bits than usual, and expectorated at least a hundred per cent. more rapidly than is his custom. He begged for more cars, but the reply of the stony-hearted railway officials was like that of the Chinamen, "Not have, how can?" One hour, two hours slipped away, and the crowd got hotter and hotter, the men swore louder and oftener, the women scolded worse and more viciously, the babies cried more hastily and more vigorously, the manager "chewed" more recklessly, and begged more abjectly for cars, and the enjoyment was rising to fever heat, when at half past nine o'clock the Wabash came to their rescue with an extra car, the train pulled out, and the weary crowd got its first breath of air—How those who are waiting at Warrensburg and other points are to be accommodated, is what no fellow can find out. The brave excursionists, from whatever town they hail, are entitled to our warmest sympathies, they could hardly expect any of a different temperature to-day.

## A Splendid Campaign Manual.

We have received a copy of the "Republican Manual," for the campaign of 1880, written by Mr. E. V. Smalley, a well known newspaper correspondent, and for many years a leading editorial writer on the New York Tribune. It is unquestionably a very valuable campaign book of 350 pages, giving the history, principles, names of the early leaders and the achievements of the Republican party, together with biographical sketches of James A. Garfield and Chester A. Arthur; also Republican National Platforms, reduction of the public debt and interest, the candidates' letters of acceptance, and striking proofs of General Garfield's statesmanship and his abilities as an orator. There is also a handy appendix to the book, giving the principles abandoned by the democratic party, selected from the democratic platforms since 1856. Every political speaker should have the "Republican Manual." It is just the book they want. Address the American Book Exchange, Tribune Building, New York. Price 37 cents, which includes postage.

## Music in the Air.

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